

(9) It shall be unlawful for an agency or a political subdivision of this state to provide a federal public benefit or a state or local public benefit in violation of this section. On or before January 15, 2009, and on or before January 15 each year thereafter, each state agency or department that administers a program that provides state or local public benefits shall provide a report with respect to its compliance with this section to the state, veterans, and military affairs committees of the senate and house of representatives, or any successor committees.

(10) Errors and significant delays by the SAVE program shall be reported to the United States department of homeland security and to the secretary of state, both of which monitor the SAVE program and its verification application errors and significant delays and report yearly on such errors and delays, to ensure that the application of the SAVE program is not wrongfully denying benefits to legal residents of the state.

(11) If any provision of this section or the application thereof to any person or circumstance is held invalid, such invalidity shall not affect other provisions or applications of the section that can be given effect without the invalid provision or application, and to this end the provisions of this section are declared to be severable.

#### CREDIT(S)

Added by Laws 2006, 1st Ex. Sess., Ch. 13, § 1, eff. July 31, 2006. Amended by Laws 2007, Ch. 7, § 1, eff. March 1, 2007; Laws 2007, Ch. 347, § 7, eff. July 1, 2007; Laws 2007, Ch. 374, § 2, eff. July 1, 2007; Laws 2008, Ch. 295, § 7, eff. Aug. 5, 2008.

#### HISTORICAL AND STATUTORY NOTES

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For legislative declaration provisions of Laws 2007, Ch. 347, § 1, see notes following § 25.5-1-202.

Prior to the repeal of par. (5)(c), effective July 1, 2007, Laws 2007, Ch. 7, § 1, amended par. (5)(c), effective March 1, 2007 as follows:

“(c)(I) The emergency rules issued pursuant to paragraph (a) of this subsection (5) prior to March 1, 2007, shall continue in effect until new rules are promulgated by the executive director of the department of revenue.

“(II) This paragraph (c) is repealed, effective July 1, 2007.”

#### LIBRARY REFERENCES

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Aliens, Immigration, and Citizenship 🔑 119.

Social Security and Public Welfare 🔑 4.11.

United States 🔑 82(4).

Westlaw Topic Nos. 24, 356A, 393.

C.J.S. Social Security and Public Welfare §§ 28 to 33, 52 to 53.

C.J.S. United States § 155.

#### NOTES OF DECISIONS

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